

and financial counseling services to mortgagors in addition to the housing and loan modification information currently included in the bill; **Page H4347**

Bean amendment (No. 4 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that requires HUD to submit an annual report to Congress discussing proposed or actual increases in the minimum cash investment requirements (downpayment requirements) in the FHA program. It further gives HUD the authority to establish higher minimum cash investment requirements for all or class(es) of borrowers and requires HUD to take into consideration the findings of the annual report; **Pages H4347–49**

Tierney amendment (No. 6 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that directs the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development to provide mortgage insurance premium refunds to eligible borrowers of FHA insured loans, which were closed prior to December 8, 2004, but which were not endorsed until December 8, 2004 or after that date, and authorizes such sums as may be necessary for such refunds; **Pages H4351–52**

Weiner amendment (No. 8 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that increases loan limits for the construction or rehabilitation of multifamily housing with elevators including rentals, cooperatives, condominiums to ensure that they represent today's construction costs. Creates an "extremely high cost area" category for FHA Multifamily Insurance for those areas, similar to those in Alaska, Guam, Hawaii, and the Virgin Islands; **Pages H4353–55**

Clarke amendment (No. 10 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that directs the GAO to include in its FHA report an analysis on the effectiveness of HUD's loss mitigation home retention options in assisting individuals, particularly low income borrowers, in avoiding home foreclosure for mortgages; **Pages H4356–57**

Nye amendment (No. 11 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that instructs the Federal Housing Administration to continue the Special Forbearance program, as it relates to Chinese Drywall, until the end of FY 2011; **Page H4357**

Waters amendment (No. 1 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that provides for various technical corrections, makes modifications to the GAO report in section 15 of the bill, provides that the Secretary may increase loan limits for micropolitan counties surrounded by higher cost areas and experiencing significant growth, and addresses documentation standards for FHA loans (by a recorded vote of 417 ayes to 3 noes, Roll No. 347); **Page H4359**

Edwards (TX) amendment (No. 12 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that requires individuals to certify that they have not been convicted of a sex offense against a minor in order to get an FHA mortgage

(by a recorded vote of 420 ayes to 4 noes, Roll No. 351); and **Pages H4357–58, H4362**

Maffei amendment (No. 13 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that states that no funds authorized under the act may be used to pay the salary of an employee who has been officially disciplined for viewing, downloading, or exchanging pornography (including child pornography) on a Federal Government computer or while performing official Federal Government duties (by a recorded vote of 416 ayes with none voting "no" and 1 voting "present", Roll No. 352). **Pages H4358, H4362–63**

Rejected:

Garrett (NJ) amendment (No. 5 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that sought to raise the FHA down payment requirement from 3.5% to 5% and prohibit closing costs from being rolled in as well (by a recorded vote of 131 ayes to 289 noes, Roll No. 348); **Pages H4349–51, H4360**

Price (GA) amendment (No. 7 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that sought to cap the number of mortgages the FHA can issue to 10% of total loans originated in each year. Within 90 days of enactment, FHA must submit a plan to Congress to roll back FHA market share to 10% of loans originated each year by 2012 (by a recorded vote of 106 ayes to 316 noes, Roll No. 349); and **Pages H4352–53, H4360–61**

Turner amendment (No. 9 printed in H. Rept. 111–503) that sought to repeal the emergency authority that allows the FHA to insure loans up to \$720,000 in certain high cost areas. The amendment sought to create a maximum loan limit of \$500,000 for a single family unit and a percentage of the same ratio for 2-, 3- or 4-family residences (by a recorded vote of 121 ayes to 301 noes, Roll No. 350). **Pages H4355–56, H4361–62**

Agreed that the Clerk be authorized to make technical and conforming changes to reflect the actions of the House. **Page H4366**

H. Res. 1424, the rule providing for consideration of the bill, was agreed to on Wednesday, June 9th.

**Moment of Silence:** The House observed a moment of silence in memory of Arthur A. Link, former Member of Congress. **Pages H4359–60**

**Suspension—Proceedings Resumed:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to the following measure which was debated on Wednesday, June 9th:

*Congratulating Clinton County and the county seat of Wilmington, Ohio, on the occasion of their bicentennial anniversaries:* H. Res. 1121, to congratulate Clinton County and the county seat of Wilmington, Ohio, on the occasion of their bicentennial anniversaries. **Page H4366**